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For: IMAGE CODING APPARATUS, IMAGE

DECODING APPARATUS, RECORDING MEDIUM AND IMAGE RECORDING

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Examiner: R. I. Chu

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